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To the Author of the London Journal.

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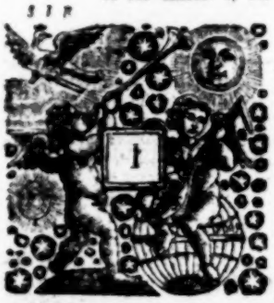

Send you another excellent Letter of the great *Brutus*. They who say I forg'd the last, make me as great a Compliement as ever was made to Man; since whoever could write that Letter, is, without reflecting on my Cotemporaries, certainly the greatest Man of the Age.

To the former Letter, I gave you an historical Introduction; I shall give you another to this.

Brutus and Cassius, after the Death of Cæsar, having left Rome, Octavius, Cæsar's Nephew arrived there: He was no more than Nineteen Years old; and the first Thing of Note that happened to him was a Quarrel with Mark Anthony, who treated him like a Child, with Contempt, and indeed was grown insupportable to all the World. Cicero and Anthony being then declar'd Enemies, Octavius was perswaded by his Friends to throw himself into the Arms of Cicero. Hence began their Friendship, equally desirable to both; Cicero governed the Senate, and Octavius had the Hearts of his Uncle's Soldiers, with great Treasure to gain new Friends, and carry on new Designs. Mark Anthony was the common Enemy of both, and of the Republick, which he as outrageously attacked as Cicero warmly defended.

This Quarrel gave Occasion to those Orations of Cicero, called the *Philipicks*, which are eternal Monuments of his Love for his Country, as well as of the marvellous Eloquence of that great Man.

Cicero and Octavius succeeded; they got the better of Mark Anthony, and drove him out of Rome. But by his Interest and Activity, he soon gathered such a Force as he thought sufficient to make himself Master of Rome; which therefore he prepar'd to attack and possess by downright Violence. But Octavius having levied, at his own Expence, an Army, compos'd mostly of the Veteran Troops of Cæsar, oppos'd the March of Anthony, and diverted that dreadful Storm from the City. Cicero, who had undertaken the Defence of Octavius from his first Arrival at Rome, and labour'd to fortify his Cause by the Authority of the Senate, was not wanting to extol this first Service of Octavius for the Republick. Hence extraordinary Honours were decreed him; that he should be made Proprætor, and in that Quality, Commander of the Army; that a Recompence should be given to his Troops; that he should be received into the Number of the Senators, that he might, before he came of Age, demand all the other greatest Dignities of the Commonwealth, and even that a Statue should be erected to him.

In the mean Time, Anthony thus repuls'd by Octavius, march'd into the Cisalpine Gaul, to drive from thence Decimus Brutus, its Governour, a Kinsman of our Brutus, and one of the Tyrannicides. That Governour being unprovided of Forces sufficient to fight Anthony, retired into the City of Modena, a Roman Colony, and there shutting himself up, expected Succours from the Senate. Anthony in the interim lays Siege to the Place, in hopes that being once Master of that City, he wou'd soon be so of Gaul, and afterwards be able to return into Italy, with a Power sufficient to conquer Rome, where he meant to erect a Dominion as Absolute as was that of Cæsar.

That Siege occasioned frequent Meetings of the Senate, where in fine, Mark Anthony was declar'd an Enemy to the Commonwealth, and both the Consuls, Hirtius and Pansa, were sent with an Army to relieve Decimus Brutus: With the Consuls Octavius was likewise sent.

During all these Transactions, our Brutus and Cassius having staid some Time in Italy, after their leaving Rome, were now retir'd to their Governments, Brutus to Macedonia, and Cassius to Syria; and both were levying Men, and forming Armies for the Defence of the Commonwealth.

As to Cicero, he was now in the Zenith of Power, and govern'd all Things at Rome: He particularly presided in the Senate, as the most Ancient Consular, during the Absence of the Two Consuls. In this Situation he was wonderfully curious to know what was the Opinion of Brutus concerning himself and his Administration. It is certain Brutus had his highest Esteem, and he thought that if he could procure the Esteem of Brutus, it wou'd be an eminent Proof of his own Virtue and Merit, as well as the most glorious Reward of that Virtue and Merit. Brutus had, in all his Letters, been very silent with him upon this Head. Cicero therefore makes use of Atticus, their common Friend, to sift Brutus, and know his Sentiments. As soon therefore as it was known at Rome, that the Siege of Modena was rais'd, and Anthony defeated by the two Consuls and Octavius; Atticus dispatch'd the News to Brutus, and in his Letter sounded him about his Thoughts of Cicero.

The following Letter is a frank and open Answer to that of Atticus. In it he justly condemns Cicero's over-violent Hatred to Mark Anthony, which betray'd him into as unreasonable an Affection and Deference for Octavius, his Champion, against Anthony. Cicero saw his Error at last, but saw it too late; the Power and Credit to which he had rais'd Octavius, cost him his Life, and Rome her Liberty. Cicero, who was the Author of all the Greatness and Authority of Octavius, was by Octavius given up to the Rage and Slaughter of Mark Anthony, against whom Octavius had been generously defended and supported by Cicero: And Octavius enslav'd the Commonwealth, with those very Arms which the Commonwealth had trusted with him for her Protection. So early had the pious Augustus learn'd the Arts and Gratitude of an Absolute Monarch.

I am, SIR,

Your Humble Servant,

CATO.

BRUTUS to ATTICUS.

YOU tell me that Cicero wonders why, in any of my Letters, I have never discover'd to him my Sentiments concerning his Management and Administration at *Rome*: I therefore discover those Sentiments to you, since you are so earnest to know them.

I know well the Sincerity and great Uprightness of Cicero's Intentions: His Passion for the Good of the Commonwealth is indeed evident and remarkable. But prudent and wise as he is, he has given Proofs of a Zeal which is imprudent, and a Heart that is vain: I leave it to you to judge, which of these sway'd him, when more forward than well advised, he drew upon him the Hatred of so terrible and powerful a Foe as Mark Anthony. This he meant for the Good of the Commonwealth; but it has had a contrary Effect, since by it, instead of bridling, as he proposed, the dangerous Power of Octavius, he has further animated his Ambition, and raised him

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his Arms. Besides, such is the fatal Complaisance of Cicero for new Men, that he cannot help speaking of my Zeal and the Fatigues of my Country, with severe and bitter Language, which, however, returns double upon himself. If we have put one Man to death, he has put many: We killed Cæsar, and he the Associates of Catiline. Therefore Cilix, who gave Cæsar the first Blow, is a Murtherer, as Cicero, to please Octavius, calls him. Cicero himself is one, and must confess himself one, and his great Enemy Brutus is justified in calling him so.

How! to assert we have not the Ides of March, to which we owe that Cæsar, eternally in our Mouths, as Cicero has the Name of Alexander, in which he supported the Conspiracy of Catiline, on which he is for ever entertaining upon All occasions, dare he take Advantage of our Modesty and his own Vanity, and find from hence more Reason to blame a glorious Deed done by us for Mankind, than Clodius and Bibulus had to condemn, as they always did, his own sweet Consulship when he was Consul?

Cicero every where boasts that he finished the War against Anthony; and yet no Body ever saw Cicero out of a Gown, and Words were his Weapons. But let it be so, that he has defeated Anthony, where is the Advantage of the Victory, the saving our Mother, if introduces a worse? And what avail it to have extinguished the Tyranny of Anthony, if he who has done it, e'en in order to fix his Room more sensible, by being more durable? And yet thus it will be if we suffer it. These are Artifices in the Conduct of Cicero, which shew that it is not the Tyrant nor the Tyranny that he fears, but it is only Anthony that he fears. If a Man will have a Tyrant, it is all one to me, whether he be more or less outrageous, it is the Thing, it is the having a Tyrant, which I dread.

That Cicero is labouring to set up a Tyrant, is plain from Affairs as visible as Day. Octavius is all in all; a Triumph is decreed him, his Troops have Largesses given them, he is loaded with Favours, he is covered with Honours. What Shame for Cicero to behold all this, and his own abject Posture! His publick Behaviour, and the Speeches and Motions he makes in the Senate, all centring in his Master, are they not a Scandal to the great Figure of that great Consular, and a Stain upon the renowned Name of Cicero?

You will read this with Pain, as with Pain I write it; but it is a Task you have put upon me. Besides I know your Thoughts of our present Affairs, and that *desperate and extraordinary as they are*, you think contrary to all Appearance, they may be remedied by Means that are ordinary. I do not however blame you, my dear Atticus; comfort your self with Hope, it is agreeable to your Age, to the Sweetness of your Temper, and to your Regard for your Children; I do not therefore wonder that you are indolent and sanguine; which Disposition of yours Appears still further to me from the Account my Friend Flavius gave me of what past between you and him.

But to return to Cicero; pray where is the difference between him and the ironic *Salvidienus*? Could that *base Retainer* to Octavius struggle for the Glory of his Master with more Labour and Zeal than does Cicero? You will say perhaps that Cicero dreads still the Remains of the Civil War. This is wild: Can any one dread a vanquish'd Enemy, and yet apprehend nothing from the formidable Power of one who commands a great Army, elevated by Victory; nor from the Riches of one, who may conquer the Commonwealth by the Means which enabled him to conquer for it? Does Cicero therefore make this mighty Court to Octavius, because having given him so much, he thinks 'tis dangerous not to give him all? *Oh the wretched Folly of Cowardice!* thus to lessen your own Security by confiding in it; and to encrease Tyranny because you fear it! Is it not better to have nothing at all to fear, than thus to compound for the Degrees of Fear?

The Truth is, we too much dread Poverty, Banishment, and Death, and our Imagination swells their Terrors beyond Bounds. There are greater Evils than those; and Cicero is mistaken if he thinks there are not. And yet all goes well with him, if he is but honour'd, if he is enrich'd, if his Opinion is regarded, if his Suits are granted, *if his Friends and Creatures are advanc'd*, and if he is courted and caressed: He has no Quarrel to Servitude, provided it be accompanied with Honour and Lustre, if there can be any such Thing as Honour or Lustre in the lowest, the most vile Lot of human Nature.

Octavius may indeed call him Father *Cicero*, refer every thing to his Council, sooth him with Praises, and shew great Gratitude and Fondness towards him; while he loses nothing by all this, which is only a fair Outside and fine Words. Facts speak the plainest Truth, and they effectually contradict the above Appearances. For, can there be a greater Insult upon common Sense, than for Octavius to take for a Father, that Man who is no longer in the Number of Free-men, or in the Interest of his Country?

Whither then tend all these Complaisances, all this Zeal of Cicero for Octavius? Why, only to this, That Octavius may be propitious to Cicero. In this little, worthless, shameful Point, center all the Actions and Designs of the Great Cicero! Hence it is that I value no longer, in the Person of Cicero, those Arts and Accomplishments with which, doubtless, his Soul is vastly replenish'd. What is he the better, himself, for so many excellent Precepts, so many noble Discourses, every where found in his Works, concerning publick Liberty, true and solid Glory, the Contempt of Death, Fame, and Want. How much better does Philippus understand all those fine Rules laid down by Cicero, than Cicero himself does, who pays more Homage to Octavius, than Philippus who is Father-in-Law to Octavius, pays!

Let Cicero therefore cease glorying thus vainly in our Cities, which is no ways to be his. For, to repeat what I have already said, What Advantage can we draw from a Victory, which only transfers the pernicious Power of Mark Anthony to a new Usurper? And yet, by your Letter, I perceive that it is still a doubt whether Mark Anthony be already declared.

After all, since Cicero can have a Dependant and a Slave, let him have a Dependant and a Slave. It ought not to be otherwise, if he can thus shamefully to get his reverend Age, the illustrious Honours he has born, and the memorable Parts he has perform'd.

For my self, while I live I will make War upon Tyranny; that is, upon all exorbitant Power that lifts Men above the Laws; not can any Condition of Servitude, however advantageous and alluring, divert me from this great, this worthy Purpose: Nor could Anthony shake it, tho' he really were, what you say he is, a Man of Worth; a Character which contradicts my constant Opinion of him. The Judgment and Spirit of our Ancestors is mine; they would not have their Father for their Tyrant, nor would I.

All this Openness to you is the Result of my Affection for you: nor could I have told so much, but I not loved you as well as Cicero thinks he is beloved by Octavius. That all these last Truths affect not you so much as they do me, is my Concern; effectually since to an eminent Fondness for all your Friends you have added a particular Fondness for Cicero. As to my self, I beg you to believe that my Affection for him is still the same, tho' my Esteem of him is greatly abated: Nor can I help it: it being impossible to Judge ill or well of Men and Things, but according as they appear ill or well.

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FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

THE Plague continues to rage in a very violent manner at *Toulon* and *Arles*, so that all hopes of its ceasing till after the Summer Season is over, seem vain.

The Swedes appear now to expect nothing but War on the Part of Muscovy, and are therefore preparing for it with the utmost Applications and, as on the other side the Muscovites do the same, we may soon hear of their having enter'd upon Action.

The Turks continue their Warlike Preparations, and to march their Troops to the Borders of Poland, which gives no little Uneasiness to the Poles, who are drawing a sufficient Force together, in order to oppose them. And as the Emperor will, in all probability, assist the latter, if Occasion require, 'tis feared a general War with the Turks is unavoidable.

They talk of the Congress of Cambray as a thing at present uncertain, and that the time of its fixing depends upon his Britannick Majesty's Approbation of what has been agreed upon in relation to Gibraltar; and that 'tis yet hoped 'twill not be much longer delayed.

LONDON.

ON Saturday last the great Cause, which has been so long depending between the Court of Aldermen and the Common Council of the City of London (in the Pleadings whereof the Common Council had asserted, that the Right of judging and determining concerning the Election of any one to be a Common-Council Man, belonged to them) came on to be try'd at the King's-Bench Bar: But the Common-Council Men not appearing to maintain that Right which they affirmed was in them, a Verdict was given for the Court of Aldermen without opposition.

We have received the melancholy News from Tholon, that a great number of the Inhabitants, made desperate by Famine, march'd out to force the Line of Inclosure, and seek Provisions in the open Country; but that the Soldiers posted in the Line fired upon them so briskly, that they were obliged to return into the City, with the Loss of about a Hundred of their poor Brethren Kill'd or wounded.

'Tis said, that a Warrant is gone down to the Treasury for the Payment of One Thousand Nine Hundred Seventy Four Pounds to the Lord C——ter, in Satisfaction for the like Sum his Lordship laid out for his Majesty's Service during the late Rebellion.

One Mr. Mun, a Hampshire Gentleman, has been, for some time, soliciting to obtain a Patent for a new Invention to stain and beautify Linnens, &c. after a very extraordinary manner; but, meeting with many Difficulties in his way to it, he has, a few Days ago, drop'd that Design. We

We hear, that on Expects is arrived here what is above, with Advice, that the Czar, on the Appearance of the British Fleet in the Baltick, expreſſed the readieſt Diſpoſition to come to Terms with Sweden, &c. and appointed a Plenipotentiary to repair to the Congreſs at Nieuſtadt. But this was a Conſtruction.

On Sunday laſt Her Royal Highneſs the Princeſs of Wales dined in Publick, and ſaw Company, for the firſt time ſince her Recovery; and in the Evening His Majeſty viſited Her Royal Highneſs and the young Prince.

Laſt Week a Cauſe was tried at the King's-Bench Bar, between Two Siſters, Heireſſes to Thomas Badmering, of Wilton, in Suſſex, Plaintiffs, and Thomas Pyke of Steyning, Attorney at Law, Defendant, againſt a Deed of Gift from the ſaid Badmering to the ſaid Pyke, and a Bond or Penal, to ſecure the Performance of the Deed; whereby Pyke became entitled to near 200 l. a Year out of the eſtate Badmering's Eſtate. After a long Hearing, it paſſed in Favour of the Defendant.

The poor People have, for ſome time, pleaſed themſelves with the Expectation, that the Duty on Soap and Candles would be taken off; but we are not yet able to give them Aſſurance of any thing ſo much to their Satisfaction.

We hear, that the Policies for Inſuring the Work-houſe and Goals at Mount-Mill, belonging to Meſſ. Toomes and Teachfield, were made out the very Day they were deſtroy'd by Fire; but not being executed, they had the Misfortune to bear the whole Loſs themſelves.

Sir John Eyles, Sub-Governor, of the South-Sea Company, John Rudge Eſq; Deputy-Governor, Sir Thomas Crofts, Bar. John Lade, Richard Hopkins, Gabriel Roberts, Edmund Halley, Roger Hudſon, and Matthew Lant Eſq; Directors, are appointed Commiſſioners for ſelling the Eſtates of the late Sub-Governor, Deputy Governor, and Directors of that Company.

It was on Tueſday the 12th Inſtant, reſolved in a Grand Committee of the Honourable Houſe of Commons, That of the Seven Millions payable by the South Sea Company to the Government Five Millions thereof ſhould be remitted, and the other Two reſerved for the Publick; which Reſolution 'tis believed cannot fail of conſiderably raiſing the Value of South-Sea Stock.

The *APPARITION*. To the E——

Diſpatch'd from ever burning Crimes,
Behold the Partner in thy Crimes,
On C——; thy certain Doom to tell,
And hail thee to the Depths of H——ll.
Tho' Bribes or Favours may aſſert thy Cauſe,
Pronounce thee guiltleſs, and elude the Laws:
Know——pale Death awaits thy Guilt;
(So Heaven commands it;) and thy Blood is ſpilt.
Thy Country's Genius ſickens at thy Breath:
Hated's thy Life!——terrible be thy Death!
Stay not till Juſtice gives the fatal Stroke;
Poiſards or Poiſons will elude the Block:
Doom'd as thou art, thy Life and Heav'n to loſe,
Come ſhare with me unutterable Woes.

On Saturday laſt were publiſhed by Authority, Directions to the Archbiſhops and Biſhops for the preſerving of Unity in the Church, and the Purity of the Chriſtian Faith, particularly in the Doctrine of the Holy Trinity.

His Majeſty has been pleaſed to appoint Colonel Hart, (late Governor of Maryland) Governor of the Leeward Iſlands; Colonel Hamilton deſiring Leave to return from that Government on account of his Health.

Sir Robert Beachcroft, one of the Aldermen of this City, continues very ill of the Palſy at his Houſe near Walthamſtow.

The following Commanders have taken their Leave of the Eaſt-India Company, and will ſail for India with the firſt fair Wind, viz. Capt. Whittaker of the Drake, Capt. Benefield of the Dawſon, Capt. Pit of the Stanhope, and Capt. Horton of the King George. It's ſaid, each Ship has Forty Cheſts of Foreign Silver on Board, each Cheſt containing One Thouſand Pounds.

The Algerines that were lately brought hither in the Ship that artfully ſlipt the Hands of a Rover of Algier, after he had taken him, are ſecured by the Government, in order to procure the Redemption of the like Number of Chriſtian Slaves from Algier.

The Portugueze Renegado, who was at the Head of them, and aſſiſted in deceiving the Corſair, it's ſaid, is claimed by the Ambaſſador of Portugal.

We are in daily Expectation of being able to give the unhappy Sufferers by the South-Sea, Joy, of having *Two Hundred and Fifty Thouſand Pound* recovered for their Benefit, from a certain Knight, and One or Two other *Commoners*, his Accomplices.

Laſt Week one Anne Marchbank, alias Goubert, was committed to Newgate by the Right Honourable the Lord Townſhend, one of his Majeſty's Principal Secretary's of State, for extorting Money from Perſons on pretence of helping them to Places in the Government, and forging Letters, the better to carry on ſuch vile Practices.

'Tis ſaid, that the late Directors of the South-Sea Company, and their Servants, have left the Accounts of Loans on their ſtock, in ſo much Confuſion, that it will be impoſſible to bring them to a fair and equitable Clearing, ſeveral Receipts and Papers being loſt or deſtroyed, which were neceſſary to adjuſt them truly.

To the Author of the London Journal.

SIR,

THE Gazette tells us, that Jacob Walter made his Eſcape out of the Fleet Priſon, and we knew before, that one *Ferne* likewiſe made his Eſcape out of the ſame. This laſt owed the Government Sixty Thouſand Pound for Duties on Tobacco. Mr. Juſtice Cloſpaſe, my Neighbour, tells me, there is no Exchequer Proceſs out againſt Mr. J——u H——s, W——a or the Fleet, for theſe Eſcapes. Pray, Mr. Journaliſt, let me know what Service he has done *ſome Folks*, to deſerve their Favours, beſides being Solicitor for the late South-Sea Directors, and you will oblige,

Your Humble Servant.

On Saturday laſt one William Burridge was committed to Newgate, being charged with a Robbery on the Highway.

On Tueſday laſt the Eaſt-India Company received Advice by Expreſs, that the Eſſex, whereof Commander, Capt. Pennel, is dead, is ſafely arrived from China. And they expect hourly, to hear of the Arrival of the Montague from the ſame Place, and of the Cardigan from India.

Mr. Broderick, Chairman of the Committee of Secrecy, hath been dangerouſly ill, but is now ſomewhat better.

Our Merchants have Advice, that a Ship bound from Hamburgh to Lisbon, was unfortunately loſt upon the Goodwin Sands a few Days ſince.

Laſt Week a poor Man of this City was bit in the Hand by a Viper in Hornſey Wood, as he was cutting a Walking Staff; upon perceiving his Hand to be very much ſwollen, he made the beſt of his Way to St. Bartholomew's-Hoſpital; but before he got thither, his whole Maſs of Blood was infected, and he look'd upon as incurable.

On Monday laſt were tried at Guild-hall, ſome Cauſes between the honeſt Gentlemen of Change-Alley, and ſeveral, Perſons that have been unhappily bubbled of their Fortunes, when the whole Clan of Brokers attended to ſee the Fate of their Brethren. But to their great Mortification the Brokers loſt every Cauſe.

Proper Diſpoſitions are making for ſelling the Eſtates of the late Sub-Governor, Deputy Governor, and Directors of the South Sea Company, purſuant to the late Act of Parliament; 'tis ſaid the York Buildings Company will purchaſe ſeveral of them.

Laſt Week Henry Barker of Chiſwick, Eſq; committed one of his Women-Servants to Newgate, for unnaturally and barbarouſly Murthering a Baſtard Child, of which ſhe was delivered the Sunday before.

Mr. Vernon, lately expell'd the Houſe of Commons, is gone down to Whitchurch, in Hampſhire, in order to be choſen for that Place, if he can: And, it's ſaid, he has given out, that he will ſpend Ten Thouſand Pounds rather than loſe the Election.

It has been reported, that there will ſhortly be a Reduction of ſeveral of the Gentlemen of His Majeſty's Band of Penſioners; but with what certainty, we cannot pretend to determine.

Laſt Week a Lady's Maid cut her Throat for Love of a young Gentleman, of too good a Family, and too good a Fortune to be mention'd here, upon ſo unhappy an Occaſion.

'Tis reported that Robert Walpole, Eſq; is to be created Viſcount Walſingham.

It's ſaid, His Majeſty will, in a few Days, go and reſide at Kenſington, till the Parliament is up; after which the whole Court will remove to Hampton-Court, and paſs the reſt of the Summer there.

A Haberdaſher in the Minories, threw her ſelf out of her Window, up Two Pair of Stairs, on Saturday Morning laſt about Two a Clock. She was taken up by the Watch, not much Hurt. The Occaſion that is ſuppoſed was Lunacy; but all People that know her, are not, it ſeems, of that Opinion.

On Sunday a Grocer hang'd himſelf in White Chappel, and being reſolv'd to do his Work effectually, he did it at Night, after all his Family was in bed; ſo that he was not found till the next Morning, when he was quite cold.

In Whitſuntide Week, the Horſe Guards are to be Reviewed in Hyde Park by his Majeſty, and his Royal Highneſs the Prince of Wales, in Preſence of the Prince of Baden Durlach, lately arrived at the Britiſh Court.

Laſt Week a Woman in the 120th Year of her Age was ſeen at the Court at St. James's: She was in good Health, of perfect Memory and ſound Complexion, and ſaid that ſhe had never taken Phyſick, nor been let Blood during the whole Courſe of her Life, and that ſhe had born 15 Children before the Death of King Charles the 1ſt.

We hear, that the Directors of the South-Sea Company have resolved to carry on a Trade to Greenland and Davis Straights, in addition to the Scheme laid before them the 18th of March last, by Mr. Abraham Hanckel, and that they have already given Orders for making the necessary Dispositions for that Purpose.

There is Advice from France, that the cold Weather, so unusual at this Time has almost quite spoiled their Vines; and they are afraid they'll not bring at the most, above half of what they did last Year.

'Tis said, that the Duplicates of the Accompts of Loans on South-Sea Stock, have been laid before the Committee of Secrecy, who have sent Instructions to the South-Sea House, for putting those Accompts under such a Regulation as will empower their Hands for some time.

On Tuesday last came on a Trial at the Bar of the Common Pleas, between a Shoemaker near Temple Bar, Plaintiff, and ——— ——— a very great Lyquor, Defendant; the said Defendant having, about Two Months ago Wounded the Plaintiff in the Body with his Sword, and abused his Wife. After a long Hearing, a Verdict was given for the Plaintiff, with 200 l. Damages, and all Costs.

We hear that Orders are given for the getting ready a Supply of Military Stores, &c. for the Garrisons at Port Mahone and Gibraltar, from the latter of which they write, that their Trade with the Spaniards is now carried on in as amicable and advantageous a Manner, as before the late unhappy Breach.

On Monday in the Evening, three Foot Pads robb'd several Passengers in the Road to Bromley, some of which they strip'd and bound, and treated in a very barbarous Manner.

We hear that her Royal Highness the Princess of Wales has ordered a very considerable Sum of Money to be distributed among the Poor, on Account of the Birth of the Duke of Lancaster, and of her Royal Highness's Recovery.

On Saturday Fifteen Hundred Ounces of Foreign Gold were Entered at the Custom-House for France, and Sixteen Hundred of Foreign Silver for Holland.

From on board the Sandwich at Copenhagen, April 19. O. S. The Fleet of his Majesty's Ships commanded by Admiral Norris, arrived here Yesterday in the Evening: In the Passage we had bad Weather, which separated three of our Ships from the rest, but they are now come in hither. As the Admiral passed Gottenburg, he sent an Express to the King of Sweden, to acquaint his Majesty with his being come upon the Coast; and as he passed Elsineur he received a Letter from his Swedish Majesty dated the 15th Instant. The Admiral designs to make Use of the first Opportunity of Wind, to proceed to the Island of Hano near Carelscroon, to join the Swedish Fleet. P. S. The Wind being just now at Eight a Clock in the Evening came fair, we are getting ready to sail to Morrow Morning early.

'Tis reported that Embezzlements have been made by the Receivers of the Revenue by dealing in Stocks, to the Value of a hundred and thirty thousand Pounds.

We hear that a Coffee Man near Grays-Inn, has a very large Diamond to sell, for which he has, 'tis said, been offer'd about 4000 l. but 'tis looked upon to be worth much more. 'Tis reported to be but little inferior to the famous Diamond of Mr. Pitt; but how he came by it, is yet a Secret.

On Thursday last, was paid at the East-India House, the Company's Ship Godfrey.

Deal, May 16. This Afternoon came in the Judith, Capt. Holland, the Speedwell, Capt. Webb, and the Hare, Capt. Roberts, all for Barbadoes, and sailed Westward. Remained here the Radcliff, Capt. Reubins from Lisbon, for Dantzick.

There is Advice that the Victory, Capt. Bull, from Barbadoes, the Mary from Oporto, and the Prince George, Capt. Hamilton, from Cadiz, are arrived at Plymouth; as also the Owners-goodwill, Capt. Lux from Virginia; the Ann and Martha, Capt. Lemmon, and the York Merchant, Capt. Smith from Oporto, at Dartmouth.

We are assur'd that the Article in our last, relating to the York Buildings Company giving Money to the Government, for their Purchase of the forfeited Estates, is entirely False; there being no Contract of the Company's upon that Account unperform'd.

The Prices of Goods at Bear Key *as follow:*

Wheat 22 s. to 28 s. *per* Quarter. Rye 16 s. to 19 s. Barley 13 s. to 20 s. Oats 13 s. to 16 s. Beans 17 s. to 25 s. Hog Pease 17 s. to 22 s. Boyling Pease 35 s. to 40 s. Malt 28 s. to 30 s. Rape seed 14 l. to 15 l. 10 s. per Last. Hops 3 l. to 4 l. per Hund. Coals 23 s. to 29 s. *per Chaldron. Colchester Cr. Says* 14 d. 3 fr. *per Ell. Ditto,* 6 *Seals* 14 d. *dit.*— *and* 42 9 d. *per Piece.*

South-Sea 134. 136 to 135 one half. Subscriptions no Price. Bank 131. India 137. Old African 38. New African 19. Royal Exchange Assurance 7. London Assurance 6 five Eighths. York Buildings 15 three qr. Lottery Annuities 96 one half.

Christened Males 182. Females 171. In all 353.
Buried Males 243. Females 229. In all 472.
Increased in the Burials this Week 49.

Drowned in the River of Thames at St. Paul at Shadwell 1. Excessive Drinking 1. Hang'd himself (being Lunatick) at St. Mary at Whitechappel 1. Kill'd accidentally 21 one with a Pitchfork at St. Botolph without Aldersgate, and one by a Fall from a Cart at St. Dunstan at Stepney. Overlaid 1.

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This Day is published,

THE Life of the late celebrated Mrs. ELIZABETH WYBOURNE, vulgarly called MOTHER WYBOURNE, containing Secret Memoirs of several Ladies of the first Quality, who held an Assembly at her House; together with her Last Will and Testament. By ANODYNE TANNER, M. D. Author of the Pr——l Sickness, &c. and one of her Physicians in Ordinary. Post tenera Virtus. Printed for A. Moore, near St. Paul's. price One Shilling.

This Day is publish'd, in Two Vols. 8vo.

*** The Life of Her late Majesty

QUEEN ANNE.

As well before her Accession to the Throne as after; together with all the Transactions of her Reign, relating either to the Proceedings of Parliament, or Convocation, to Peace or War, the Union of the two Kingdoms, and such other Events as are requisite to render her History complete: Wherein her Conduct, during the last four Years of her Reign, is not only vindicated, but shewn to be most beneficial and glorious to Europe in general, and to her own Kingdoms in particular.

As Rome of old gave Liberty to Greece,
ANNA unbinded linking Empire frees.
To Allies her Faith, her Pow'r the French proclaim,
Her Piety th Oppress'd, the World her Fame.

D. of Devonshire.

Printed for C. Rivington, at the Bible and Crown in St. Paul's Church-yard. Price 12 s.

Just publish'd,

SEven new Plans of the Canton's after Raphael Urbin. Finely engrav'd by some of the best Artists in Europe. To which is added, A fine Frontispiece, containing Raphael's Head, and divers Hieroglyphick Figures, curiously perform'd by Monsieur Pardieu. They are of a proper Size to be cover'd with Glasses. Price One Guinea a Set. Sold by T. Bowles next to the Chapter-House in St. Paul's Church-Yard. Where may be had in a neat Pocket Volume,

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This Day is publish'd,

THE Life of EDWARD THE SECOND, with the Fates of GAVESTON and the SPENCERS. A Poem, in Three Cantos. To which (for the better understanding of the Whole) is prefix'd an Account of that Prince's Reign; from Dr. Echard and others. Done from a Manuscript.

——— Heu Fidus
Heu Prisca Fides!

Printed for Tho. Harbin at the Bible and Anchor in the New Exchange in the Strand, and Sold by J. Peele at Locke's-Head in Pater-Noster-Row. Price One Shilling Six-pence.

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A Collection of Tracts relating to the Deity, Worship, and Satisfaction of the Lord Jesus Christ. By Thomas Emlyn. To which is prefix'd, a Narrative of the Proceedings of the Dissenting Ministers at Dublin, against the Author, and of his Sufferings, &c. This Last, and several of the others, to be had single.

Mr. Bayle's Philosophical Commentary on those Words of the Gospel Compel them to come in, that my House may be full. In which is proved among other Things, that Hereticks have as much Right to persecute the Orthodox, as the Orthodox them.

An Account of the Growth of Deism in England, and other Tracts, written by the late Mr. Stephens of Sutton. With Mr. Mauvil's History of Creeds, Councils, &c. and other uncommon Tracts.

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On Monday will be published,

THE MEMOIRS. Life and Character, of the great Mr. LAW, and his Brother at Paris, with the Rise and Fall of the Mississippi; by a Scotch Gentleman, that was in the Compass at the time, and was Supercargo in the first Expedition to Mississippi.

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FIVE new built Brick Houses, very compleatly finished, at the Upper End of Clements-Lane in Clare-Market, to be Sold by Virtue of a Commission of Bankrupcy. Particulars to be had at the Crown and Norway Coffee-House, behind the Royal-Exchange; and the Hanover Coffee-House, in Finch-Lane; and at Mr. Mactary's, at the Conduit in Clements Lane, one of the said Houses.

LOst on Wednesday last the 10th Instant, from a Gentlewoman's Side, about Seven a Clock in the Evening, between Putney Hall and Wandsworth, a plain Gold Minute Watch, in a black Shagreen Case, the Maker's Name Preston, No. 177. a Ring on each Gold Case, fastened to a Gold Swivel that had a curved Line on each Side. It was seen by People walking on the Road, to be taken up by a Gentleman who alighted from his House, dress'd in a light-colour'd Flush Coat. If the said Gentleman, or any other Person, will bring or send it to Mr. Wiggins at the Golden Ball in Sugar-Loaf Court, over-against Christ-Church in Leadenhall-street, or to Mr. George Neale, Watch Maker in Green-street, at the lower End of Rickbel-Court in Red-Lyon Street in Holborn, shall have Ten Guineas reward.

On Wednesday last it was resolv'd to put the Second Subscription of the *Irredeemable's* on the same Foot as the First, by an Addition of 5 ock at a Hundred and Fifty per Cent.

On Thursday the 11th Instant, about Two a Clock, while the Family were at dinner, a Fire broke out by boyling of Varnish at Mount-Mill, near Islington; which destroyed all the Work, and damaged the dwelling-House It is remarkable that within a Year last past, one of the Owners living at Holborn-Bridge had his House there with several others Burnt down by the Boyling of Varnish.

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Hammersmith, May 18. 1721.

THIS is to give Notice, That Mr. Hinton's Sale of 12 new Houses and Plate, will certainly begin to be perform'd at Hammersmith aforesaid, on Monday next being the 22d of this Instant May, and will be finish'd in 3 Weeks Time: In the mean Time the few remaining Receipts now left, will be dispos'd of at 10 s. each, at Hammersmith aforesaid, and at Mrs. Hopton's at the Rainbow Coffee-house on Ludgate-hill; both which Places Proposals are given gratis. The highest Prize in this Sale is a new House, valued 170l. and 11 Houses more, valued between 5 and 60 l. each: with a Diamond Ring; of 100 l. and several considerable Parcels of Plate; the Number of the advantageous Parcels to 2682, which is not five to One by 176.

N. B. The First drawn Receipt will be entitled to a Punch Bowl and Ladle of 10 L. and the Last drawn to a Punch Bowl and Ladle of 30 l. And if this Sale be not begun to be perform'd the Time above-mentioned, the Money receiv'd shall be return'd; and for the Satisfaction of all Persons concern'd, Books will be kept at the Rainbow Coffee-house on Ludgate-hill, that every Body concern'd may know their Chance; and all those Persons that have not paid for their Receipts will be excluded the Benefit of this Sale. * Several Gentlemen of undoubted Character will attend the Drawing to see the Fairness of the Sale.

ALL Persons, who for themselves, or others, having Red or Grey Hairs, would have them died or turn'd into a dark brown, or black Colour, as never changes, shall have entire Satisfaction, as a great many have already, by the use of a clear Water sold out by P. Mitton, and is still to be had at his Widows, who has continued these Eight and Twenty Years, making and selling the said Water, at the Crown and Pearl in Grafton-Street, turning into Newport Alley. Lodging up One Pair of Stairs, at a Razor Makers: And the gives it to sell also in the following Places. At P. Varquin's, at the Seneca's Head, near Somerset-House; at H. Ribotteau's at the Crown near Fountain-Court, both Booksellers in the Strand; and at the Rainbow Coffee-House, beyond the Royal-Exchange, in Cornhil; and by E. Bell, at the Croſs-Keys and Bible in Cornhill.

To be SOLD in Hampshire,

A Freehold Estate called Hall-Lands, consisting of a good Dwelling-House, Barn, &c. in Repair, Fifty Acres of Land, very improveable; 40 Acres of Coppice Ground, with a great Quantity of good and thriving Timber, standing conveniently for the Dock at Portsmouth, lying in the Parish of Bishopstoke, between Winchester and Southampton. Particulars may be had of Mr. Serle, at Winchester, or George Noyes at Mr. Guidott's Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, London.

WHereas it has been maliciously and scandalously reported and spread, that Samuel Coleman hath fled from his House, and taken Protection in the Mint: If any Man will discover to the said Samuel Coleman, the Author or Authors of such false and wicked Report, and prove the same, shall receive two Guineas Reward from the said Samuel Coleman, who still lives at the Green-Ball, just up the Steps in Middle Moorfields; and is the only Person that makes the experienced Ointment for curing Children of the Rickets, formerly prepared by (his Uncle) Samuel Waldenfield, late of George-Yard, Lombard-Street, deceas'd.

To be SOLD,

BEds ready made, at the Three Golden Chairs over against the Half Moon Tavern in Cheapside, consisting of Silk, Damask, Mohair, Wrought Work, Camblet, and other Stuff Beds, made full fashionable, and as well as if bespoke, from 9 to 13 Foot high, more or less if required. With Bedding, and all other Furniture to be made, to any Price or Size shall be required, all at reasonable Rates. By Tho. Fidoe.

Just brought from Abroad.

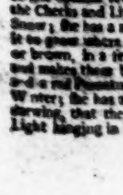
A Curious Set of Prints, engraved from the late famous Original ALTAR-PIECE of Whitechappel, now supposed erected in the Mother Church of St. Jago in Venice, by the most celebrated Signior Alhasi Scaravaccio Remedini, the Grand Master Engraver in all Italy. To be disposed of, to the Curious, at most of the Shops in London and Westminster.

AT the Hungary Water Ware-House at the Black-Boy and Comb in Fleet-Street, near the Bridge, is sold right French Hungary Water, lately imported in large Flint Half pint Bottles, at One Shilling and Three-pence each; the same sort that has been sold at the said Place some Years, or rather better, being a fresh Parcel. And that the Publick may no longer be imposed upon by the fraudulous Counterfeits of the Town, they are desired to try the very Bottle they buy, by putting a Spoonful into a Glass of Water; if it turns the Water white, it's good, if a sky Colour, or bluish, 'tis naught. Note, Merchants, and Others, may be supply'd by Wholesale at the said Place.

Just Landed from Barbadoes,

THE most choice, racy, smooth and mellow Citron Water, that ever came from that Island, which, for its Qualities in recreating the Spirits, invigorating the Nerves, and enriching the Blood, if taken by way of Dram, proves the best Cordial now extant; to be had (for the Quickness of Sale) at 8 s. each Quart Bottle, which is little more than prime Cost, of Mr. Tho. Heath, Mathematical Instrument-maker, next Door to the Fountain-Tavern in the Strand, and at Mr. John Chet's, Printer, in Bow Church-yard, Cheapside.

At the Red Ball and Acorn in Queen-Street, Cheapside, over against the Globe-Ale-House, a little distant from the Three Cranes.



Liveth a Gentlewoman, that hath a most incomparable Wash to beautify the Face, which far exceeds all that are extant, as abundance of the greatest Quality have found by Experience to their great Satisfaction. It takes out all manner of Wrinkles, Freckles, Pimples, Redness, Morphew, Sunburn, Yellowness, caused by mercurial poisonous Washes: It also plumbs and softens the Skin, making it as smooth, and tender as a sucking Child's; the young it keeps always so, and the old it makes appear fair and young to Admiration: It has nothing of Paint in it, neither does any Person know the Secret; you may have Directions, Wholesale, the like not to be conceived with; also fine Spanish Wool, and Portugal Dishes, which gives a glorious Colour to the Cheeks and Lips, a powder for the Teeth, which makes them as white as Snow; she has a most excellent Secret to prevent Hair from falling, causing it to grow where it is scanting; she alters red or grey Hair to a delicate light or brown, in a few Days, which will never change; she shapes the Eyebrows, and makes them beautiful; she hath a delicate Paste to whiten the Hands, and a red Pomatum to colour the Lips, and prevents their chopping in the Winter; she has a certain and infallible Cure for the Tooth-ach without shewing, that the Pain never returns; she cures Itch very fine. At Night a Light hanging in the Entry.

WHereas several fine Arts and Secrets have been lost and dilus'd for Ages, through various Accidents: These among others, are at last brought to light again, viz. I. An Universal Teeth Remedy, recommended to Her Royal Highness, &c. which Tincture immediately cures and prevents Tooth-ach, rotten, hollow, black, loose Teeth, Scorbutick rotten Gums, offensive Breath; whereby Antient Persons can eat on their Stumps with Pleasure, and the Whiteness of the Teeth thereby excelling all others, price 7 s. 6 d. II. The Talk Oyl-Cosmetick, which renders the Skin so fair, smooth and clear, that the Blood circulating in the Veins appears plainly, and a Face, tho' brown, red, yellow or full of Spots, Freckles and Pimples, after a small Time, is hardly believ'd to be the same, keeping the Face, &c. free from Wrinkles, a Grandes the fourth. III. The Crystal Waves, the finest and purest under the Sun for the most tender-skin'd, clear Complexions, and to keep themselves always the same, 7 s. 6 d. the Pound. Sold at these Four Toy shops, viz. the Great Corner Toy-shop at Ludgate-street; at the Shop against the Royal-Exchange in Cornhill; at the Corner of Pall-Mall Court in Pall-Mall; at Mr. Bouchet's next to the Corner of Surrey-street in the Strand.

Tinctura Antera Stomatica; or, Dr. Andrew's famous bitter Stomach Tincture,

WHich is a most grateful, bitter, and pleasant Flavour, and is found by long Experience to exceed all the Stomach Elixirs and Tinctures in the whole World, by reason it keeps the Body soluble, by giving two or three Stools a Day; yet any Person that takes it may eat, drink, and go about as if they had taken nothing. Moreover this noble Cordial repairs the Tone of the Stomach, restores its natural Heat, recalls lost Appetite, helps Concoction, takes off Nauseousness, Heart-burnings, and the most violent Pain of the Stomach, miraculously stops the most laborious (or raving) Straitings and Retchings to vomit, or hard Belchings, for which no Medicine equals it, by reason it strengthens the Stomach, and at the same Time carries off, by Stool and Urine, the Relicks or bad Wine, Beer, Ale, or other Liquors. It has many more Excellencies too tedious to mention here; for which I refer you to the printed Book of Directions; where you will likewise find Observations on the Gout, worth Notice of any Person therewith afflicted; price 2 s. 6 d. the Half-pint Bottle. Sold only by Mr Clifton at the Flower-de-Luce over against the Royal Exchange; Mr. Raw's, the North Entrance of the Royal Exchange, against Bartholomew-Lane; and at the Black-Boy and Comb in Fleet-street, near Fleet-bridge.

JUlapium Asthmaticum, or the Asthmatick Julep, which is known by many Years Experience to be a never-failing Medicine in old obstinate Asthma's, whose ill-coating Fit it puts off in a Moment; it gives a perfect Relief in draining laborious Coughs, that are unmercifully troublesome Night and Morning: 'Tis a most excellent Remedy for Shortness of Breath upon any Motion, and in breathing with Difficulty, Straightness of the Breast with Hoarseness and Wheezing. Nothing exceeds this admirable Julep; for by opening the Bronchial Ducts and Pneumonic Passages, it penetrates into the inmost Recesses of the Lungs, and there meeting with rough, thick, cold, clammy, slimy Phlegm, so attenuates, divides, moves, and works it, that by coughing and spitting, it expectorates and throws up all such Matter, with the greatest Ease and Pleasure, thereby clearing and freeing the Breast and Lungs, when stuffed up and clogged with a heavy Load; and so prevents Consumptions, Ulcers of the Lungs, &c. Note, It is a safe and pleasant Medicine, to be taken by Spoonfuls, according to the printed Directions, without the least Confinement, or Danger of catching Cold. To be had at Mr. George Strahan's at the Golden-Ball over against the Exchange, Cornhill, and at no other Place, 2 s. 6 d.

TInctura Nervosa Cardiaca, or the Cordial Tincture for the Nerves, being an approv'd, experienc'd, and never-failing Medicine, in sinking, languishing, and lowness of Spirits, Palpitation, or Trembling of the Heart, in all paralitick, soporose, and convulsive Distempers, and in all Affections of the Head and Nerves; it infallibly prevents the bad effects of Coffee and Tea on the Nerves, which occasions in most People the above-mentioned Disorders (with many more which you'll see at large in the printed Book of Directions) but yet by taking a few Drops of this most pleasant, delicate Cordial, in the first Dish of Coffee or Tea, you may then drink at Liberty; for this great Medicine penetrates thro' the whole nervous System, and so recruits the Brain and Præcordia with a full Influx of exalted Spirits, which perform the Business of vital Function with fresh Alacrity and new Briskness, so that the Pulse which lay feeble and wavering, now falls a beating vigorously, and with great Exactness; moreover it wanderfully disperses Fear, Sadness, curtail'd Thoughts, Twitchings of the Legs and Arms, disturb'd Sleep, and all the dismal Train of Vapours and Melancholy. It likewise stops Vomiting, puts off Nauseousness, procures a good Appetite, and is now in great Esteem amongst Quality of the first Rank. Sold at Mr. G. Strahan's, Bookseller, at the Golden Ball in Corn-hill, over against the Royal Exchange, and at no other Place; price 2 s. 6 d.

To be sold, at Fifteen Pence each Half pint Bottle, and Two Shillings and Three pence each Pint,

A Fresh Parcel of the best Hungary Water that ever was imported from Montpelier; its Virtues will be best known by its Use, to that many Words in the Praise of it are altogether needless, since after Experiment it will be found so effectual in plumping and smoothing the Face, and carrying off all outward Deficiencies of the Skin, as well as removing several inward Maladies, with which the Fair Sex is aggrieved, if taken according to the Directions given with it. It is sold at so low a Price, little higher than prime Cost, only to prevent Imposition by Counterfeits and Pretenders to Importations; when it can be proved, that two other Advertisers of the same Nature, vend their Home and adulterated Ware for that of Foreign Growth. To be had only from John Cluer, at the Printing-Office in Bow-Church-yard, Cheapside, and Thomas Heath, Mathematical Instrument-maker, near the Fountain Tavern, in the Strand.

THE most Noble Volatile Smelling Bottle in the World, which fixeth to, momentarily fetches the most dismal fainting or swooning Fits, and in a Moment, removes Flushing, Vapours, Dullness, Head-ach, Megrims, &c. It takes off all heavy Sleepiness, retards Swoonings, keeps up the Spirits to a Miracle, and by its wet admits of no Painting, but invigorates and enlivens the whole Man; recreates and makes cheerful, although never so sad, and in a Moment raises all the sensitive Faculties: It is also to be taken inwardly by Drops, which effectually takes off and eradicates the very Cause; for it potently relieves, comforts, and strengthens the Brain, creates and corroborates a Stomach, removes Sickness from it, helps Digestion, cleanses the Blood; and in a Word, is the greatest Cephalick, Stomatick, Hepatick and powerful Aromatick possible; therefore is extream necessary for all Gentlemen, Ladies, &c. always to be carried in their Pockets. Sold only at Mr. King's Picture-shop in the Poultry, and at Mr. Overton's Picture-shop against St. Dunstan's Church in Fleet-street, at 2 s. 6 d. each.

THE incomparable Powder for cleaning the Teeth, which has given so great Satisfaction to most of the Nobility and Gentry in England, for above these 25 Years that it hath been published, notwithstanding the many Counterfeits since its first Publication, (particularly one at the next Shop to Mr. Markham's, pray beware on't) endeavouring to imitate this the only True Original Powder. Sold only at Mr. Hartley's, Bookseller, in St. Michael's Church-Porch, in Cornhill, and Mr. Markham's, Toyman, at the Seven Stars under St. Dunstan's Church, in Fleet-street, and no where else in England. It at once cleansing makes the Teeth as white as Ivory, though never so black or yellow, and effectually preserves them from rotting or decaying, continuing them sound to exceeding old Age. It wonderfully cures the Scurvy in the Gums, prevents Rheum or Defluxion; kills Worms at the Root of the Teeth, and thereby hinders the Tooth-ack. It admirably fastens loose Teeth, being a neat cleanly Medicine, of a pleasant and grateful Scent. Price 1 s. the Box. N. B. At the same Places is sold the highly esteemed Lip-Salve for Ladies, &c. of a charming and delightful Scent. Price 1 s. each Box.

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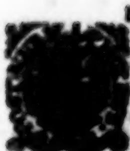

FOr Cure and Prevention of Blindness, by extinguishing the Cause of Cataracts, Suffusions, and Obstructions of the OPTICK NERVES; it dispells Glimmerings, Mists, Clouds, Motes, Flies, Sparks, Cobwebs, and other False Appearances from before the Eyes, Symptoms which usher in by Degrees, a Total Loss of Sight, and [illegible] Blindness, if not timely prevented; it being the only Secret in the Universe for Cure of the Gutta Serena, i.e. when the Eyes seem as clear as those that see, yet are blind; the [illegible] Blindness in this Malady, thought incurable by most Physicians, hath been cured by the Royal [illegible] of several Crown'd Heads, and Persons of Distinction, as in bringing to Sight the Lady Bellasis, 15 Years blind, as also the famous Painter Signior Verrio, and lately our Modern Defeated [illegible] Lord, and a Gentleman to the Lord Baltimore, and more than a Hundred [illegible], that were blind and defective in Sight, and some blind from their Birth have been restored to Perfection; many of 'em left as incurable by other Practitioners in the Opticks. Therefore this Lamp of Light, with other [illegible] Remedies for Cure and Prevention of Blindness, and also for Cure of [illegible], and most Diseases of the Head and Brain, may be had by Personal [illegible] or sending a State of the Case, Age, Sex, and Constitution of the Patient, and conveyed into any remote Part, by the experienc'd Dr. Clark, Physician and Oculist in ordinary to King Charles II. and other Crown'd Heads: He now living at his House in Fountain-Court in the Strand, a Golden-Head over the Door. N. B. No Letters Received except with Post paid.

MARKHAM's ancient infallible Cordial Horse-Balls.

FOR the Publick Good, at 4 s. per Pound, being the best experienced Remedy for any Cough or Cold, giving immediate Relief, by opening all Obstructions in the Lungs, carrying off all [illegible] [illegible], Loss of Appetite by hard Working, or any other [illegible] [illegible] to Horses. This Medicine, which has many Years been [illegible] practised, and known to be the best Thing for bearing a fine Smooth Coat, and preventing the Greafe settling in the Heels, and it seldom [illegible] (tho' of long continuance) proves an effectual Cure; it purifies the Blood, eradicates and destroys all Worms, and in a short time will cause the leanest Horse to thrive and grow Fat. N. B. These Cordial Horse-Balls will keep good for many Years, and are proper to be given at all Seasons, especially Spring and Fall, in order to keep their Bodies from those Diseases they are then most subject to. Truly prepared and sold by G. Markham, at the Seven Stars under St. Dunstan's Church in Fleet-Street, and allowed by him to be sold at Mrs. Rae's, the North Entrance of the Royal-Exchange, in London. To prevent Counterfeits, the Markham's Arms are in the printed Directions.

The Venereal Prevention,

FOr both Sexes: Being a Secret not known by any Person but the Gentleman that now prepares it, who is a Man of long Experience in Venereal Cases.

[illegible], with making use of it, any Time, the next Day after being concerned with an infected Man or Woman, safely and infallibly prevent either POX or CLAP, or any other Venereal Infection whatever, by injecting the said Prevention with a Syringe into the Privy Parts, and also washing the Out-Parts with it; which will entirely destroy all the Venomous Particles of the Venereal Poyson, before it can fix, or put the Parts into a Ferment; And it doth likewise cleanse and strengthen the Passages. Syringes are sold at most Pewterers Shops. There is besides, a most noble Water that Cures Outward Ulcers, Shankers, or any Old Sores, whether Venereal, or not, only by washing the infected Parts with it. They are sold together at Five Shillings the Two Vials; but if sold apart, the Venereal Prevention at Three Shillings and Six Pence, and the Ulcer Water at Two Shillings. Printed Directions, are with the Vials, how they are to be used. And to avoid Impositions, they are sealed with Six [illegible] and Two Scythes [illegible], the Coat of Arms: So that any Person may send to any of the Places under-named, and be assured they have the Right. To be sold at [illegible] [illegible], near the New Tavern in the Strand, by York-Buildings. At Widow [illegible], [illegible], the Corner of Charles-Street, Covent-Garden. At Mr. [illegible], the Black [illegible] in [illegible]-yard, near Temple-Bar. At Mr. Robert's, the twelve Bells in Threadneedle-street, behind the Royal Exchange. At Mr. Tho. Simond's, next the Coventry-Arms in Hermitage-Bars, Wapping. At Mr. Evans's, the two Blue Posts in White-cross-street in the Park, Southwark.

AT CARPENTERS HALL, near little More-Gate, London,

IS a continued Sale of all Sorts of Houshold Goods, new and old, to be sold cheap, with the lowest Price fixed on each Lot; and consists of great Choice of very good and fashionable Damask, Mohair, Camlet, and Stuff Beds, lately come in, and standing from 8 to 13 Foot high. Cabinets, fine Screens, Trunks, Tea-Tables, large Beaurets, Corner Cupboards, Book Cases, Chest of Drawers; Leather, Cane, and Matted Chairs. Down and Feather Beds, large Glass Sconces, Peer and Chimney Glasses, Smirna Carpets, Tapestry; divers Clocks, and a large Collection of Pictures; with all Silks and Stuffs, in Pieces fit for Furniture. N. B. Attendance is given from 9 in the Morning, till 6 at Night.

GIBSON's MOST EXCELLENT CORDIAL HORSE BALLS.

AT Four Shillings per Pound, which in Forty Years private Experience, and Ten Years Publication, are approved of, used, and recommended, by a great many of the Nobility, to be a certain Cure for any Cold, old or new Surfeits, Worms, or Botts, are better than any Cordial Drink, and not half the Price. Also his extraordinary Preparation of Antimony, at Five Shillings per Pound, which prevents Greafe falling to, or Stiffness in the Limbs after hard Riding; cures those that are greased, though never so bad; disperses all Knots and Swellings; preserves the Eyes, purifies the Blood better than purging; cures the Hide-bound, makes rough Coats, occasioned by Surfeits, lie fine and smooth, kills all sorts of Worms, with many other peculiar Virtues, better experienced than expressed, are only prepared by Samuel Gibson, Druggist, at the Angel and Crown in Lombard-Street, London, are sold there by him, and at Moor's Coffee-House, in York, with printed Directions. N. B. By using these Medicines Spring and Fall there is no need of purging, and Travellers may save many Horses by having them on the Road, the Operation being immediate and certain in the Gripes, or loss of Appetite from Sickness or Gripes.

THE best Water in the World, so called by those who have experienced it to be so, for the Itch, or any itching Humours. It hath been taken inwardly for the Kings-Evil; it's good to cure sore Eyes, or any other Sores, Ulcers, or Fistula's; it has preserved several from having their Limbs cut off, when all other Means have failed. Sold by Mr. Gounge, at the Cabin in Westminster-Hall; Mr. Radford's, Toyshop, at the Great Golden [illegible] against St. Clement's Church-yard, near Arundel-Street, in the Strand; Mr. Garraway's, at the Royal-Exchange Gate, Cornhill; Mr. Adam Reed's, at the North Entrance of the Royal-Exchange, over against Bartholomew Lane; and by the Person that makes it, at the Sign of the Cavalier, next to the Dog and Bear Inn, at London-Wall. Note, It has no Smell. Price 1 s. 6 d. each Bottle, with printed Directions how to use it.

WHereas by a Royal Specifick: (The Dose but one Drop, or single Grain, and not purging) not only the common Distemper is prevented or absolutely cured, but also the Small-Pox, Purples, and all Inflammatical and Malignant Fevers, Scurvy, Cancery Humours, Evil, Leprosy, and all Corrupt out of the Blood; whereas the great Number of deserving Objects, who have within these 4 Years been published to be seen, both before and after Cure, when given over by Hospitals, and other Eminent Physicians and Surgeons, which Practice is so-limited, notwithstanding the Author (who is one of the most regular Physicians in every single Branch of Physick) concerns that these appearing may meet with little Esteem from some of the Great, yet it is the likeliest Method to convince Mankind; and who thinks it his Duty to save his suffering Fellow-Creatures that are just going down to the Pit. Only sold at Mr. Ward Bookseller, at the Golden Ball near Chancery Lane, Fleet-street, and at these 3 Toyshops, viz. at the Shop against the Royal Exchange, Cornhill, in Russel-Court, near Covent Garden, and in the Middle of Pall-Mall. If the Specifick, Price a Guinea, is for the secret Disease, it must be asked for in that Name, there being different Directions.

Made and sold only by JOHN PINDAR, at the black Boy and Truss Bartholomew Close, near West Smithfield, London,

FIne Leather and Dimity Trusses for the Cure of Ruptures, easy to a new born Babe, and effectual in keeping up the Ruptures in Old or Young, and by far exceeds all sorts of Steel Trusses. Those in the Country sending their Bigness round their Wast, and which Side the Rupture is, may be well served. He likewise maketh Strait Stocking and Navel Trusses that are entirely of a new Invention, and the Experience of them has proved a wonderful Happiness to many Persons, even beyond Expectation. N. B. Those that come may depend on a Cure, if curable, he being never known to fail, his Wife being as able and dexterous in curing them of her own Sex. N. B. Those that are disposed to have Steel Trusses, may have of all Sorts. N. B. The said John Pindar married the Daughter of the famous Mr. William Ives, who practised the Business, and kept the said House for above 20 Years; and for preventing Mistakes, the House goes up with 5 stone Steps.

For the Good of the Publick,

WHereas several Gentlewomen and others of that Sex in this Kingdom, have contracted an evil Habit of Body, wherein the vicious Humours at first dispersed thro' the Whole, come at length to be lodged in one Part or another, and many Times, for Causes too long to be here mentioned, are thrown down upon the Womb, occasioning a dangerous Weakness in that Part, which being neglected, at last turns cancerous, and often proves fatal. This is to acquaint all such as may have Occasion, that a speedy Relief is to be had from an experienced and sworn Midwife, who also by God's blessing cures all Weaknesses in her own Sex, and prevents Miscarriages, and is to be spoke with at the Queen's-Arms and Dial, next Door to the Tin Shop near Exeter-Exchange in the Strand. I should not have put my Self in publick Print, but to satisfy the afflicted, where they may have perfect Ease and Relief.

The only Secret in the World of GLOVES for beautifying the Ladies Hands and Arms, making the Skin delicately soft, smooth and white, by taking off all Deformities, as Morphews, Freckles, Scurf, Pimples, or Redness; they are of a grateful and pleasant Scent, and will keep the Hands and Arms of a lasting and extream Whiteness, beyond expectation, as many Ladies, who have experienced them, can testify, to their great Satisfaction; to be had only at the Green-Ball, next Door but one to the Sign of the Cock, opposite to Taylor's Court, near Garlick Hill, the Lower End of Bow-Lane, Cheapside, and no where else. Where may likewise be had, a most incomparable Wash to beautify the Face: It plumps and softens the Skin, making it fair and smooth, by taking away all Freckles, Tans, Morphews, Pimples, and Redness, and prevents Flushing. It hath nothing of Paint, nor any poisonous mercurial Preparation in it. She hath a most excellent Secret to prevent Hair from falling off, causing it to grow wherever 'tis wanting; and alter red or grey Hair to a light or dark Brown, which will never change. She shapes the Eye-brows, making them very beautiful, and takes all superfluous Hair from the Face. She cutteth Hair very fine, after the newest Mode. She hath likewise a certain, safe, and infallible Cure for the Tooth-Ach, without drawing, and so effectually, that the Pain will never return again. It likewise fastens those that are loose to Admiration, and preserves them from Rotting or Decaying; also a Powder that makes them as white as Ivory.

Dr. WRIGHT's Bitter Stomatick Tincture,

WHich far exceeding any in Use both at Home and Abroad, from its surprizing Effects which have been attested from hence to the East and West Indies, not only in Venereal Miseries, but in Scrophulous and Rheumatick Distempers: It is the best Restorative in Nature, after too great a Freedom in hard drinking, and totally prevents the dismal Effects thereof, which end in Gouts, Dropsies, Palsies, Apoplexies, and Convulsions of the Nerves, by making the Whole Mass of Blood to flow with an agreeable Fermentation, neither too swift nor too slow, too hot or too cold, in its proper Channels, from its Aperative Nature, and making all Blotches, Pimples, and other Excrescences of the Skin totally to disappear in both Sexes, and causes Digestion in those that have a loathing for Food, so as to strengthen all inactive Parts of the Body, by invigorating the Genitals in Men, and helping Conception in Women, to such a Degree, that if the Vertues thereof were as well known, as they can truly be made appear, none of the Fair Sex whatsoever, would be reproach'd with Barrenness. To be had with Directions in 2 s. 6 s. and 7 s. Bottles, only of the Author Dr. Wright, at his House the Golden-Head in Bell-Savage-Yard on Ludgate-Hill.

WHereas my Wife was for a considerable Time miserably afflicted with the Rhumatism, so that she was Lame of both Hands and Feet, I remembring an Acquaintance of mine, Capt. Hunt of Canterbury, had before been cured of a Rheumatism by him, I apply'd my self to Mr. John Moore Apothecary, at the Pestle and Mortar in Abchurch-Lane, near Lombard-street, London, and he in short Time cured her by his Tincture of Gold, with Antimony, and a purging Drink, for which I paid him to the full, and only desire this may be printed for the publick Good.

May 15. 1721. Ambrose Granger.

Just published,

OF the Symptoms and Cure of A GONORRHÆA under the following Heads, viz. Of a Person First contracting a Venereal Injury. Of the Symptoms that appear after it is first contracted. Of the Difficulty in getting cured of Venereal DISORDER, above any other. Of A SALIVATION, when necessary? Why dangerous? Why so often ineffectual? and what Method is more proper for a Cure. As well for those Persons, whose Straitness of Circumstances cannot allow of Expence: As for those whose Affairs will not admit of Confinement, nor Constitution the taking of Physick. With some Remarks on Seminal Weakness: A Broken Constitution: The King's Evil: Itch, the Gout, and the PLAGUE. This Treatise is given gratis at Mr. Garway's at the Royal Exchange-Gate, which is on Cornhill Side; and at Mr. Greggs, Bookseller, next to Northumberland House, at Charing-Cross in the Strand.

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